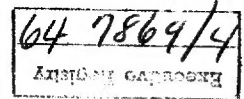


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4 December 1964

MEMORANDUM FOR: Executive Director-Comptroller

SUBJECT : Support Relationship with the Defense Intelligence Agency

REFERENCE : Action Memorandum No. A-437

1. In our relationship with the Defense Intelligence Agency we have found its officials most cooperative and helpful. From the DD/S area the principal continuing business with DIA is conducted by the Office of Security and, to a lesser degree, by the Office of Training. The Office of Training cooperates with DIA in support of the Defense Intelligence School, whose training is good and satisfies the needs of the Defense Intelligence Agency for a joint training program.

2. In the security field, DIA has been most cooperative and effective in the settlement of mutual and community security problems. The Special Security Center deals continuously with DIA in matters of special security control systems involving security policy, security surveys, certification of access approvals, and the establishment of special system control centers throughout the world. DIA has been particularly cooperative in facilitating the consideration of USIB security policy matters under consideration by the Security Committee of USIB. In the fields of normal security liaison, the DIA Security Staff has been most helpful.

3. It is our observation from a limited number of instances based on mutual interest that in the field of problem security cases DIA has recourse to adequate authorities when dealing with military personnel. As concerns civilian employees, the authority of DIA is limited and they could well benefit by being provided additional authority.

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